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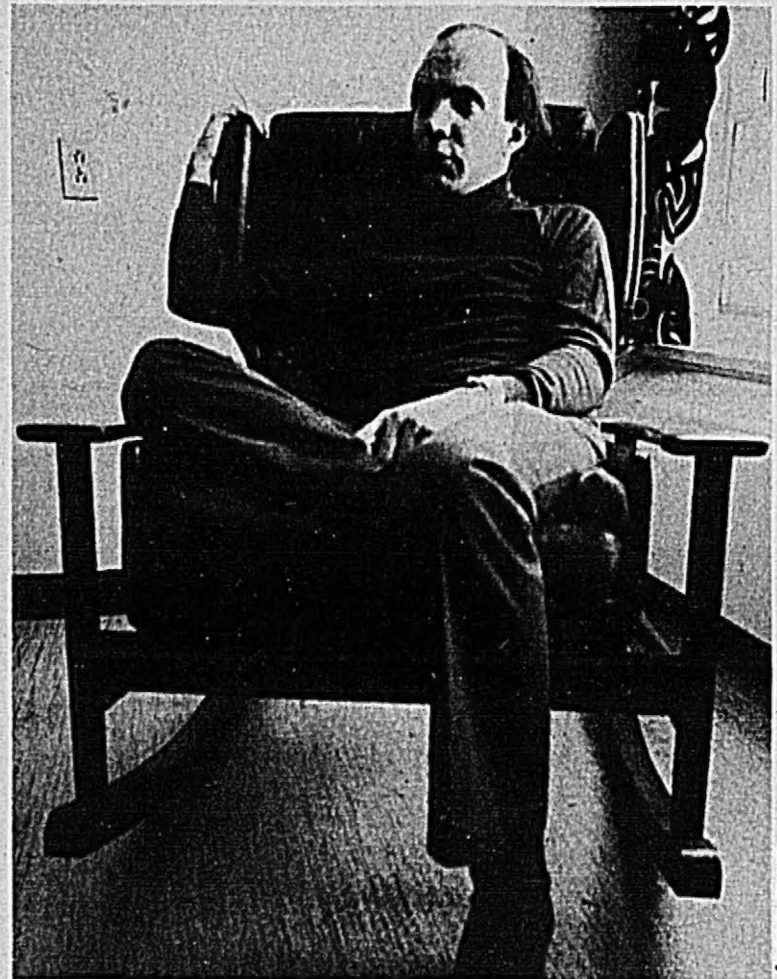
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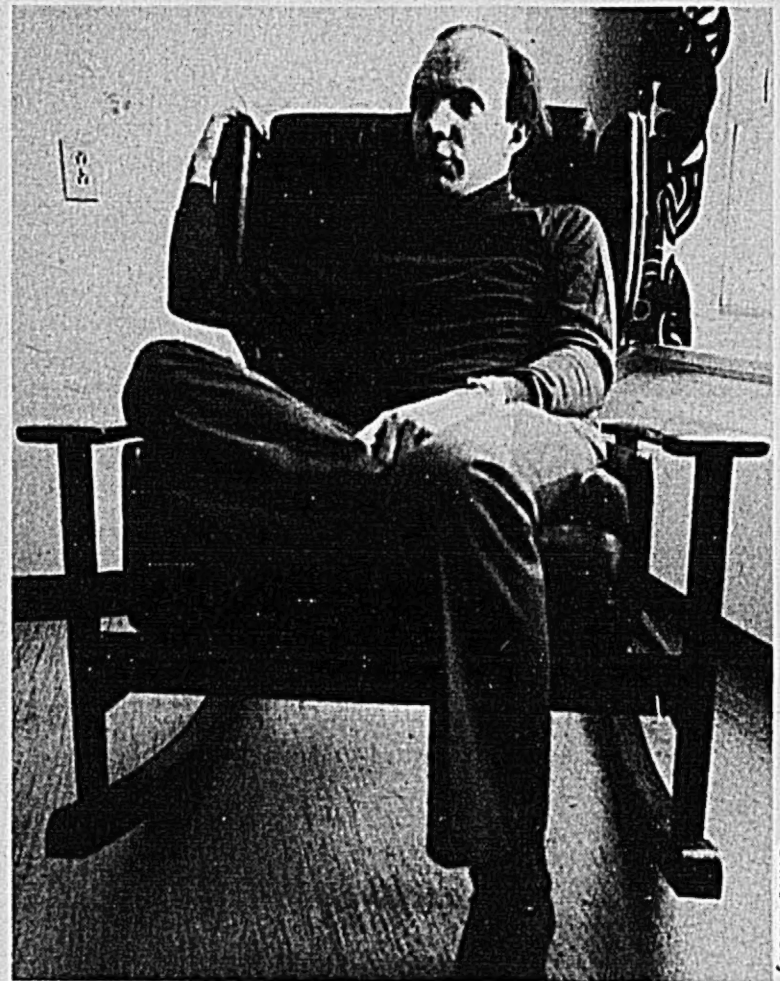
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OPEN MEETING TO DISCUSS:

- 1 — The type of propaganda being espoused by the Daily.
- 2 — Ways to present the true reality in the Mid-East to the McGill community.
- 3 — Involving interested persons in ongoing Committee projects.
- 4 — Exploring options for innovative approaches.

TUESDAY NOV. 26 12:30 P.M.
UNION BALLROOM

sponsored by McGill Committee for Social Justice in the Middle East

Women's Union By-Elections

Being Held December 10, 1974
Nominations Close
November 29, 1974
at 4:00 p.m.

Nominations are hereby called for the following positions on the Women's Union Coordinating Council:

1. Representatives for the following positions must be women students — either graduate, undergraduate, or part-time — in any faculty and in any year, having spent at least one full academic year at McGill University, and must be in good academic standing with the university. The terms for these positions will terminate June 30, 1975.
 - a. Internal Vice-President
 - b. External Vice-President
 - c. Secretary
 - d. Treasurer
 - e. Two members-at-large

2. Representatives for the following positions must be women students who are in the particular year specified by the title of the office, in any faculty, and must be in good academic standing with the university. The terms for these offices will terminate in December, 1975, except the U3 representative which will terminate June 30, 1975.

- a. One U1 representative
- b. One U2 representative
- c. One U3 representative
- d. One graduate representative

* All nominations must be signed by 50 regular members of the Women's Union, i.e. women graduate, undergraduate, and part-time students, and countersigned by the nominee with her address and telephone number. No person may hold more than one position on the Coordinating Council.

** Nominations must contain the following words:
"We, the undersigned students, nominate
for the position of on the
Coordinating Council of the Women's Union."

*** All nominations must be handed in personally to Mrs. Haddad at the Students' Society office in the Students' Union by no later than
4:00 p.m. Friday November 29, 1974

classifieds

These ads may be placed in the advertising office at the University Centre from 9 am to 5 pm. Ads received by 10 o'clock appear the following day. Rates: 3 consecutive insertions—\$3.00 maximum 20 words. 15 cents per extra word.

ENTERTAINMENT

MFS presents: Wednesday Night Classic, OLIVER TWIST, Nov. 27 in L132 at 8:00 p.m. Admission 50c. Info: 392-8934.

HOUSING

WANTED: APARTMENT (3½ rooms or more) in eastern area of Outremont between Van Horne and Mount Royal. Telephone: 392-8914 or 849-1718 (after 6 p.m.)

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WANTED

Working mother of boy, 4, seeks simla. to share live-in nanny. \$6/day, \$25/week. Westmount. 932-9900 evenings.

FOR SALE

Winter coat, size 8. Brand new. Was \$55, selling for \$40. Call Lynn 366-4522.

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Stereo equipment for sale. Sherwood Receiver, Jensen 4 speakers, Marantz turntable. Technics Dolby Cassette Deck, Koss Head Phones. Quite inexpensive. Call 849-0380.

MISCELLANEOUS

Jessie, a pretty young cat is looking for a friend and home. Long-haired, house-trained, affectionate. 738-8500.

Feel like banging your head against a wall? We have a nice one. Come up and see us. Interaction McGill #409 Union Building. Tel: 392-8981.

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Experienced typist wishes to type at home. Will pick up and deliver. 477-9342.

PERSONAL

Problem? Feel you need to rap with a rabbi? Call Israel Hausman 341-3580.

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LOST

Friday night, Nov. 15, small flat case with contact lenses, possibly in Arts, FDAA, or Leacock. Reward, 392-8068.

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becoming smaller and smaller."

She added that latest developments in the UN, such as the ousting of South Africa and the recent UN speech by the PLO's representative Yasir Arafat, are an indication that the world-wide socialist struggle is making swift advances.

Davis warned that America is now at "a crossroad between fascism and democracy". She said that Nixon and others involved in the Watergate affair "subverted the last vestiges of democracy remaining in the U.S." "Watergate showed how the system works for the big corporations — ITT, Gulf, Mobil, IBM — and not for the workers of America," she added.

Speaking of the countless cases of political repression in America, Davis cited such trials as the San Quentin 6, Russell Magee, the Soledad Brothers

and her own trial. She said that these cases are "only the tip of the iceberg" — as Rockefeller and the monopoly capitalists he represents feel more and more threatened, they will do everything in their power to suppress the revolution. "They can be stopped if we all unite under a common front," she claimed.

Davis, who has concentrated her efforts on freeing these political prisoners, said "the crimes committed by our sisters and brothers in prison is miniscule compared to the crimes committed by those with economic and political power."



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Tournament report

Volley's triumph

by Ivy Steinberg

Last Saturday afternoon, November 18, McGill was part of the first Loyola Invitational Women's Volleyball Tournament. The other participants were John Abbott, Dawson, SGWU, Vanier, and of course Loyola. In a 10 game round-robin McGill went undefeated. In the semi-finals McGill took John Abbott 15-2, while Vanier lost one game to Loyola before taking the next two. The finals saw the McGill team lose their only game of the day sandwiched between two solid victories over Vanier.

Pleased

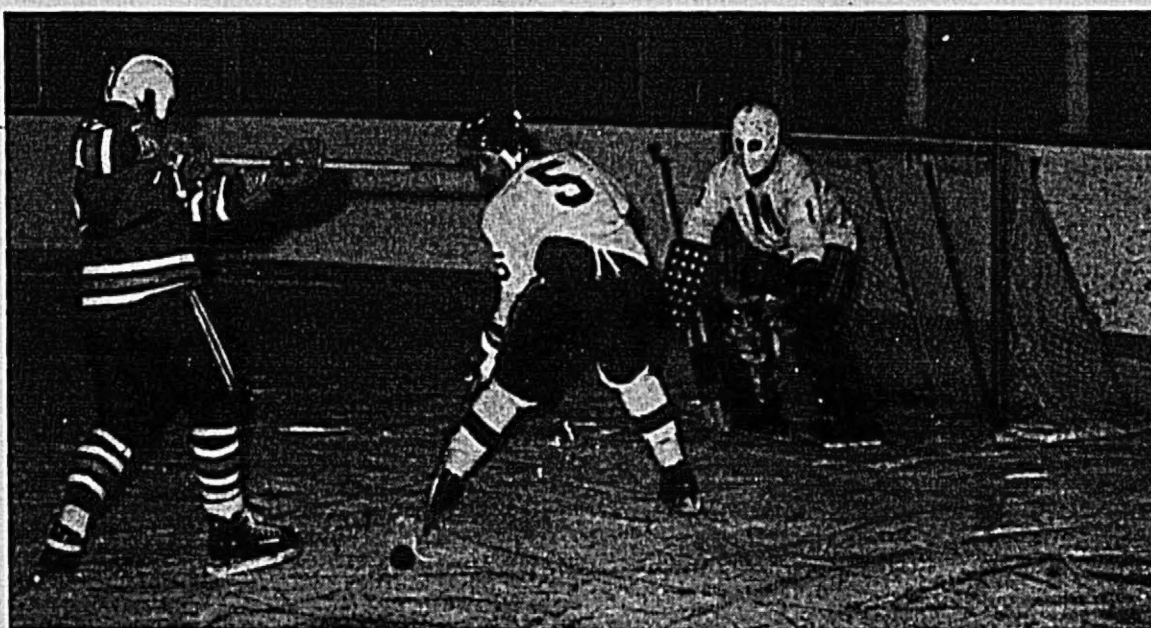
Coach Anne Patterson was pleased with the squad's overall performance, but did mention that the matches showed a few weak spots. In general the services were far from good except for those of Judy Sweeny and Francine Larose, whose serves won many points for the Squaws. In one game Judy served 11 consecutive points while in another one Francine hit on 10 in a row. This exemplifies their tremendous contribution to the team this past tournament.

In turning to the spikers, it was noticed that although they were jumping high, they were not getting the forward thrust necessary for a stronger shot and a steeper trajectory. This was mainly due to the fact that they were not starting from the attack line. Through it all though team spirits were very high and this kept the team winning although it was the first time they were using their new more powerful offense.

Anyone who has ever met Coach Anne Patterson will know that those few wrinkles will be worked out by the time Sherbrooke, Laval, SGWU and Loyola make it to McGill for the first league meet Saturday November 30, 1:00 p.m. in the Currie Gym. It should be a tremendous exhibition of volleyball as Sherbrooke and Laval have always had very strong teams and will this year be faced with what will be the dark horse of the tournament... the McGill squad.

NOTE: Special mention goes to Carole Serpian who played intelligent heads-up volleyball in the finals.

Sports



Robert Bellini

Pucksters prevail 8-7

Stellar defenseman Bob O'Reilly [5] of the McGill Redmen hockey squad fends off a Bishop's forward who is threatening to score on goaltender Jean Millette. Sparked by the scoring heroics of Jean Dion, McGill edged Bishop's 8-7 at the McGill Winter Stadium last Saturday. The game against the first place Trois Rivières Patriotes scheduled for last Friday evening was cancelled due to the storm. The match will be replayed on some later date.

Haitians caught in squeeze

by Gerald Cohen

At least 400 of the Haitians who were in Montreal when the current wave of deportations began, have already been sent back to Haiti to face the reprisals of the Duvalier regime, and deportations are continuing at the rate of 20 per day, according to Philippe Filsalme, a spokesman for the Haitian Committee against Deportation.

Filsalme, speaking at Sir

George Williams campus on Friday night, pointed out that the Duvalier regime has publicly declared that those who seek to emigrate from Haiti are considered subversives, a crime that in Haiti can be punishable by torture and execution. Cases of reprisals against those who return have been reported in Le Devoir (Nov. 9, 1974). Yet, noted Filsalme, Immigration Minister Robert Andras has refused to

classify the Haitians as political refugees.

Most of the new immigrants arrived in Canada on visitor's visas after Nov. 2, 1972, and stand in technical violation of the law passed that year, which said that after that deadline, applications for landed immigrant status could not be made from within Canada, except in the case of political refugees. According to Filsalme, however, most were unaware of the change in the law, as it was not well-publicized in Haiti. Dishonest travel agents and consular officials, who stood to profit thereby, did not inform

them of the change, and encouraged them to come.

Filsalme observed that of all Haitian nationals currently living outside Haiti, 10% are currently facing deportation. They are exploited as a source of cheap labour here, and are paid minimum wage or less, for doing hazardous work that Canadians "are too smart to do". One in five Haitians working here has, he claimed, suffered some form of mutilation in work accidents. Then when they are no longer useful, he continued, they are sent home.

Filsalme reported two in-

stances of harassment of people opposing the deportation proceedings: his own residence was searched for dynamite, and a co-worker, unable to keep an appointment with immigration officials last Thursday because of the snowstorm, was immediately ordered deported to the U.S. as a consequence.

Filsalme also claimed that the outcomes of individual deportation hearings were decided in advance, and regardless of the arguments made in open court, the judge in a case "pulls out a piece of paper and recites the decision".

Candle sale fights MS

by Barbara Vall

Rick Sun, spokesman for Circle K International, said his objective in the present candle sale in the Union is to continue the fight against Multiple Sclerosis (MS).

He added that so far, with a goal of 3,000, 1,500 candles have been sold. The sale will continue for five more days.

The candles being sold by Circle K, in the Union every day from 10 am to 4 pm., vary in size and shape with costs running from \$2.50 to \$4.50.

Sun said that \$1.00 from each candle will go to the M.S. Foundation, 25c will go to Circle K and the rest will go to the manufacturer.

The candles are made purely

for charity organizations by a group of 7 people in London, Ontario. "They are not out for a profit," Sun said, "they work only for these organizations and do not support any profit making companies."

M.S. is a hereditary disease that affects the nervous system. "It can hit someone, just like that, and a person can be paralysed completely for life. Or, it can return unfailingly time and time again," Sun said. "This disease is hard to fight because of its range and various forms. That is why the money is needed urgently to continue the research."

"With five days left," Sun added, "Come buy a light, give to the fight, it's all for a good cause."

Today

Pre-Med Society:
Dr. A.P.H. McLean will speak on Intensive Care, in the Francis Seminar Room (4th floor McIntyre Med.) at 1 pm.
Ukrainian Klub-Dumayty:
Guest speaker W. Tretiak C.A. will speak on Ukrainian Economics. Leacock 821, 8 pm.
Lost:
SR-10 calculator, between University and Hutchison Sts. on Milton during snowstorm on Nov. 21, call 845-1653, reward.
Inter-Residence Drama Club:
Auditions 7 pm. Molson Hall Library.
English Department:
Film screening. Free admission. Goin' Down the Road and A Chalk Tale by N. McLaren. 3-5 pm. FDAA.
Women's Union:
Sorry about the cancelled meeting Thursday. There will be a general meeting tonight. All Women students are urged to attend. We need your support.
Hellenic Association:
General meeting to be held 6 pm in the Union room B-26-27. Everyone is invited.

What's What

MACDONALD LECTURE
Professor Mancur Olsen will talk on "Addressing the Quality of Life: Economic Growth and the Measuring Rod of Money" Wednesday, November 27, 8 pm, Leacock 26.
CHINESE STUDENTS' SOCIETY
For changes in the Chinese Students' Directory, please notify us at P.O. Box 1642, Station B, Montreal before November 30.
CENTRE DES ETUDES CANADIENNES FRANCAISES
Presentant Daniel Perlestein, du Conseil du Trésor du Québec sur la rationalisation des choix budgétaires (P.P.B.S.) au Québec et la problématique de la planification: Mardi 26 Novembre, 4 h. pm. 3475 Peel, Salle 101.
BRIDGE CLUB
Trials to pick intercollegiate representatives, this week and next at regular game, Tuesday, 2nd floor Union, 6:45.

MCGILL MEN'S AND WOMEN'S SWIM TEAMS
Coed Tri-meet against Ottawa and Laval, Wednesday, November 27, 7:30 pm. Currie Pool. Come out and support your teams!

EAST ASIAN STUDIES
Professor Ingrid Schuster on "The first effects of Japanese Theatre in Germany". Thursday, November 28, 3:30 pm. Dept. of Fine Arts Lecture Room, Arts Building, West Wing, top floor.

STUDENT CHRISTIAN MOVEMENT
"Discovering Different Lifestyles" Tuesday November 26, "Is Marriage Necessary?" by Prof. L. Casler. Wednesday, November 27, Leacock 230, 1 pm. "Building new communities", panel discussion on Thursday, November 28, Leacock 14, 1 pm. All welcome. Free.



"Odessa File" the Teutonic plague

by Steve Vineberg

I've never read any of Frederick Forsyth's "historical" thrillers, but the film of *The Day of the Jackal* was so riveting that I rushed to see *The Odessa File* (at the Place du Canada), despite the warning in the ads that it was directed by Ronald Neame, of *Scrooge* and *The Poselton Adventure* fame. Next time I'll read the book instead. The plot of *The Odessa File* is the best thing about it, actually — it's premised upon a neo-Nazi (Odessa) attempt to eliminate Israel, and it takes off from there — but Neame brings it crashing down at every turn.

His clodhopping conception of how to direct a suspense melodrama is synthesized from a hundred bad Hollywood movies of the 1930s and '40s. The Nazis are all archetypal Hollywood Nazis from World War II pictures, except for one who's made up to look like the archetypal German professor, and the voice of the old Jew whose diary (finished just before his suicide) inspires the search for the Odessa is the voice of dozens of wise Jewish grocers and tailors in Warner Brothers street dramas, the voice of that impossible old fraud, Doc the druggist, in

West Side Story.

Neame is so dumbly eclectic that it's no wonder we don't believe a word of the movie. When Schmuell Rodensky (playing the Nazi hunter Simon Wiesenthal, unaccountably, as Bela Lugosi's Dracula) hands Jon Voight a photograph of the war criminal Edward Roschmann, we expect Voight to say, "Oh, I know him — that's Maximilian Schell." That he doesn't in fact respond in this way is one of the few surprises in the movie.

The Odessa File lumbers on for over two hours, but there's almost no filler in the script;

the problem is that Neame directs the film as if it were all filler. There's an attempted murder scene in a subway station that should be fast and exciting, but too many reaction shots and a maddening concentration on the technicalities of stopping the train and retrieving the victim (Voight) long after we've seen him roll to safety kill the suspense and bring the action to a grinding halt.

The performances are grinding, too. Maria Schell has a moving few minutes, and Maximilian Schell retains some dignity as Roschmann (he also

has the only well-written speech in the movie), but Jon Voight, inhibited by his German accent, is passive and studied — an unpleasant change after his liberating portrayal of Conrack earlier this year. He has some thoughtful moments, but for the most part he seems to be suffering from the Teutonic plague, which spreads to almost every one of the supporting players. The film's composer, Andrew Lloyd Webber, creator of the music for *Jesus Christ Superstar*, displays an altogether different disease, however — and one, I fear, far less likely to be cured.

Candidates for the **CHIEF RETURNING OFFICER** position on the Students' Society Elections, please contact Mrs. Haddad at the Students' Council Office or call 392-8967 for interview.

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at Gertrude's

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